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THE J. E. JONES LETTER

HUMANITY'S NEXT MOVE

A modern bard hit the bull's eye when he observed that "God made the country, and man made the town." In the early triumphs of town life man hoisterously claimed that he had improved upon the work of God. But the United States Children's Bureau tells us that they have records showing the death rate of 170 babies out of a thousand born in the poverty-stricken sections of cities, while only 60 deaths occurred among a thousand babies in an ordinary community where poverty was not common to the neighborhood. This leads to the belief that man did not do as good a job as he claimed when he made the town. Cumulative derogatory evidence can be piled columns high, adding to the indictment of the "town that man made," by reference to social statistics. On the other hand the chief charge against "the country that God made" is that its inhabitants have complained that "it is too lonesome." To overcome this defect in their system new railroads and trolley lines have been constructed, and in the last five years Federal-aid highways have been added to the network of the Nation's roads at a cost of \$400,000,000. Before the surface was dry on many of these there were bus lines to accommodate those who were not using their own automobiles to travel back and forth. Automobiles are manufactured so fast in Michigan that the poor jack-rabbit is joking all in prestige as a champion runner and breeder. While residents in the smaller towns still have to go to the "general delivery" for their mail, the farmers are supplied at their door by the R. F. D. The "lonesome" farmer can now pull the telephone receiver off the hook and talk to his son at Harvard and Yale, or to his daughter at Bryn Mawr or Vassar, or if the "hopefuls" happens to be in a co-ed at Madison, so much the better because he can reach them both on one call. The radio marvel has also appeared, and father, mother, and the whole family can stay at home and enjoy the best musical talent, and listen to the best speeches by celebrities from the President of the United States down. In the midst of all these changing events it may be observed that the country that God made hasn't changed a bit. Man has merely improved his utensils, but the country is still what Young, the poet, said about it in his lines:

"No splendid poverty, no smiling care,
No well-bred hate, or servile grandeur,
there."

Modern science made it possible for men to make great cities, and men were making a slow, sorry job of the attempt until electrical development came along and furnished transportation, lighting, telephones. And all of these depended on the one thing, Power. "Power" is to have a "moving day," and those who are watching the processes of the electrical age have discovered that industries are seeking locations in small towns and in the country—for economic reasons. The country is coming to be tenacious, and vast multitudes of the city population are eager to follow the economy moving van out into the open spaces where "God made the country."

DO DREAMS COME TRUE?

The Columbia River takes a ninety-foot leader in nine miles at Priest Rapids, Washington. There has been running to waste during all the ages something like 500,000 horsepower of water—the kind that Tennyson wrote about in the lines: "Men may come and men may go, but I go on forever." A story has been printed about Priest Falls that would have sounded like a visionary dream a few years ago. Now it is called "a great engineering project," because it is a dream that electricity is making come true.

Waterpower and electricity at Priest Rapids propose to convert 100,000 acres of arid lands into flourishing farms; to run dozens of immense industrial plants; and to establish a brand new city which will be cool and smokeless and apparently clean. Niagara Falls began with crude tools, but its story of electrical development has done more than anything else to interest capital and industry in the extension elsewhere of hydroelectric power. Priest Rapids is said to be the greatest waterpower site in the United States west of Niagara, and it starts its new career without the hampering influence of too great a population and too many neighbors. It will be able to breathe, and plan, and grow. Its possibilities are unlimited. Its promoters have plenty of vision and millions of dollars of money, and they propose to build the greatest dam in the world. It will be two miles long and sixty feet high. The contemplated electrical city with private

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Oxford County Boy Scout Officials Hold Important Spring Council Meeting

Prominent Men Head List of 1923 Officers

The Spring meeting of the Oxford County Council, B. S. A., was held at the Oxford County Scout Camp, Friday, May 25th. Some thirty councilmen attended and brought with them a spirit that compared well with the good weather of the day. Many matters of important business were successfully completed. President George R. Morton stated that whereas, last fall, the Council was in debt some \$1,000, they were now ahead of the game with a brilliant outlook for the future.

The meeting opened at 3:00 o'clock sharp with George R. Morton as the presiding officer. He gave a talk on National Scouting and the progress of Scouting in Oxford County. This was followed by the Treasurer's report showing all bills paid to date and a treasury surplus. The matter of new officers came next. A vote of thanks to the retiring officers was given. Both men, Mr. Herbert C. Rowe, Treasurer, and Arthur R. Stowell, Commissioner, gave answering speeches, stating that their good will was forever behind Scouting and that they were glad to see the bright outlook ahead of Oxford County Scouting.

The election of the following officers speaks well for Scouting and its successful future. The following prominent men head the list of 1923 officers: President—George R. Morton, South Paris, Treas. & Mgr. Paris Mfg. Co. Vice President—William J. Upson, Bethel.

Vice President—P. E. McCarthy, Rumford, Supt. International M. C. A., Secretary—E. L. Stetson, Dixfield, Cashier Dixfield Branch R. F. Trust Co. Treasurer—G. L. Curtis, Norway, Treas. Norway Savings Bank. Commissioner—W. L. Chase, Canby, Supt. Schools—Canby and Livermore, Past Commissioner and Camp Director in Massachusetts.

A report of plans for 1923 Scout Camp showed plans well under way for the successful ending of 800 Scouts. A nine-day camp period of six weeks is being figured on. By vote of the Council, the Camp rate was set at \$1.00 per day per Scout. This includes board and room, boats, instruction, medical care, (everything outside of spending money). The Oxford County Scout Camp has an able corps of directors all of whom are past Scouts raised in Oxford County.

Boy Scout Relay—115 1/2 Miles in 14 Hours 58 1/2 Minutes. Average Per Mile, 7.772 Minutes.

Town	No. miles	Av.
Bethel	5.75	6.9131
West Paris	4.5	6.7222
Locke's Mills	3.7	6.7587
Canby	7.5	6.8333
No. 1, Rumford	3.00	7.0000
No. 2, Rumford	5.73	7.5797
No. 1, Mexico	3.6	7.4107
Bryant's Pond	6.9	7.4261
Rumford Point	12.1	7.4793
Oxford	6.5	7.5337
No. 2, Mexico	4.5	7.5553
Norway	11.2	7.5673
Dixfield	10.4	7.7777
No. 3, Rumford	8.3	7.8161
Duckfield	8.2	8.5386
South Paris	12.3	9.6721

Handicap average—List according to the following handicaps:

Hills or bad going. 4000
Rain. 3000
Evening. 1000

Troop size (4000 to Ten Scouts). A big troop with a short distance gets a uniform cut down in average. A small troop with a long distance gets an increase in their average (puts them up a notch higher towards first place).

Town	First Place Group	Second Place Group	Third Place Group
Bethel	6.9131		
Canby	6.8333		
No. 1, Rumford	6.8000		
West Paris	6.7222		
No. 1, Mexico	6.7407		
Norway	6.8333		
Locke's Mills	6.7587		
Dixfield	6.8277		
Bryant's Pond	6.8261		
Oxford	6.8287		
No. 2, Mexico	7.5553		
Rumford Point	7.4793		
No. 3, Rumford	7.8161		
Duckfield	7.8161		
South Paris	7.8161		
No. 2, Rumford	7.8161		

P. E. Chase troop must clearly understand that this classification is only approximately right. The 100 per cent performance, under conditions, roads, etc., makes a perfect classification impossible.

Team work was the high goal in 1923.

GOULD'S TRAILS BERLIN IN TRACK MEET

A large crowd watched the track meet at Berlin, N. H., Saturday, when Berlin High, Gould's Academy, Bridgton Academy, Stephens High School of Rumford, and Whitefield High School.

The result with points scored by each team was as follows: Berlin High, 47; Gould's Academy, 40; Bridgton Academy, 24; Stephens High, 22; Whitefield High, 10.

The summary of events follows: 100 yard dash—Won by Hannah, Berlin; Brown, Gould's; Blackman, Gould's; Warren, Gould's. Time 11 1/2.

220 yard run—Won by Harlock, Berlin; Hannah, Berlin; Brown, Gould's; Donnelly, Berlin. Time 20s.

440 yard run—Won by MacKean, Bridgton; Hannah, Berlin; Swan, Gould's; Lee, Berlin. Time 53s.

880 yard run—Won by MacKean, Bridgton; Hannah, Berlin; Kasan, Bridgton; Brown, Gould's. Time 2:14.

1 mile run—Won by MacKean, Bridgton; Turner, Stephens; Kasan, Bridgton; Swan, Gould's. Time 5:07.

120 yard high hurdles—Won by Halley, Berlin; Hannah, Berlin; Swan, Gould's; Lee, Berlin. Time 19 4/5s.

220 yard low hurdles—Won by Snyder, Berlin; Linnell, Gould's; Mundi, Gould's; Green, Berlin. Time 31 2/5s.

880 yard relay for Curtis Cup—Won by Berlin (Hannah, Donnelly, Kerback, Snyder; Stephens, Gould's, Bridgton, Maynard, Stephens; Betz, Whitefield; Blake, Whitefield. Distance, 5 ft., 6 in.

Broad jump—Won by Berry, Gould's; MacKean, Bridgton; Betz, Whitefield; Snyder, Berlin.

12 pound shot put—Won by Berry, Gould's; Stanvill, Stephens; Jankaus, Stephens; Greenleaf, Whitefield. Distance, 40 ft., 9 in.

Pole vault—Won by Hawley, Berlin; Linnell, Gould's; Betz, Whitefield; Mathewson, Stephens. Height 10 ft., 3 in.

Discus—Won by Stanvill, Stephens; Berry, Gould's; Betz, Whitefield; Bartlett, Whitefield. Distance, 103 ft., 7 in.

Then followed the unwinding of the Maypole. As the top of the pole was raised they plink tissue paper rose petals fell from the folds of the petals of the large rose which adorned the top of the Maypole. These petals each bore a word which, when correctly placed, formed an original little poem that announced Miss Whitmore's completion of her work at Gould's in order that she may apply her knowledge of Household Arts to the making of a real home. Her wedding to Mr. Carroll Valentine, a former Bethel boy and an alumnus of Gould's, now of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will take place in October.

The faculty with students of Gould's, together with hosts of friends in town, will regret Miss Whitmore's departing but they also rejoice with these friends in their happy prospects for the future.

Those present at the party were: Principal and Mrs. Hanson, Miss Litchfield, Miss Whitman, Miss Whitmore, Miss Wright, Miss Morris, Miss Park, Mr. Brader and Mr. Fossett.

The Fellowship Library Association, at its regular May open meeting, adopted the following resolutions, presented by Mrs. Geo. King:

Resolved, That as we in the past have been cheered and encouraged by her presence here, so may we in the future, remembering her unending interest in our association;

Resolved, That the memory of her kindly helpful service to all will remain fresh in our hearts in the days to come, inspiring us on to live up to the ideals that made her life so beautiful.

Resolved, That in our expression of sympathy we include our whole town, as there is universal sorrow, that her some and friends here will see her no more;

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of Mrs. King and also entered on our records, in memory of her membership in our Association.

Miss Henriette Mack, Mrs. W. A. James, Mrs. Geo. E. King, Committee.

BLACKSMITH SHOP BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE

Last Saturday morning the fire alarm called the fire department to a fire at the blacksmith shop run by Cross and Campbell on Mechanic Street. For a time it looked as though the building would be destroyed and spread to the Sessions garage, the Jodrey house and the Stearns house, but the quick work of the firemen in getting there and getting the water onto the burning building soon checked the flames, five streams of water being used. The roof of the blacksmith shop and a considerable amount of lumber and stock was destroyed. The fire was checked before it got through the second floor. The ground floor was thoroughly drenched with water, the stock and tools being damaged to some extent. The cause of the fire was thought to be from a spark from the chimney. The building and stock was partly covered by insurance.

FACULTY PARTY

A delightful party was given to the faculty of Gould's Academy at the Household Arts Cottage on Monday evening by Miss Nellie Whitmore and Miss Beth Morris.

Cards were enjoyed the early part of the evening, and then the guests were invited to the dining room. The table was most artistically decorated in pink and white. A Maypole occupied the center from which streamers extended to each of the ten places laid for the guests. At the end of the streamers were dainty place cards and favors in the form of Maybaskets. A gorgeous pink tulip at each place completed the decorations. Delicious refreshments consisting of buttery fruit salad, sandwiches, ice cream, cake and coffee were daintily served by Misses Longley and Burrows of the Household Arts Classes.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all the relatives, friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses during our recent bereavement also for the floral tributes. We wish also to thank Mrs. C. H. Oliver and S. B. Greenleaf.

Mrs. Sarah A. Gunther, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gunther and son, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Blake.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

No Scout meeting this Thursday evening.

Mr. W. E. Bosserman was in Portland, Monday.

Mrs. F. E. Donahue was in Berlin, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Inez Elwell, telephone operator, is at her home in West Paris.

Miss Moan Martyn of Portland spent the week end at her home here.

Miss Melba Blake is assisting Mrs. Leroy Andrews with her work.

Miss Mildred Bosserman was in Portland a few days last week.

Mrs. Frank Robertson was in Rumford, recently, to visit relatives.

Mrs. Gerlie Hapgood was the guest of Mrs. H. T. Sawin, Thursday.

Mrs. Harry Hastings was the guest of Mrs. George Hapgood, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Kilgore of Exeter, N. H., were in town, Tuesday.

Miss Jennie Kimball of Albany has been assisting Mrs. S. H. Browne.

Meatrs. Stanley and Robert Wheeler of South Paris were in town, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Robertson were home from Lewiston over the week end.

Mrs. F. L. Edwards and Mrs. Curtis Hutchinson were in Rumford, Wednesday.

Mr. Newton Blake was the guest of his brother, A. J. Blake, at Oiled, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bartlett were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ramsell, recently.

Mr. Clarence Tyler of Gorham, N. H., was the guest of relatives in town, Monday.

Mr. S. S. Greenleaf is moving his family into the L. A. Hall house on Broad Street.

Mrs. J. W. Kelley and child of Yarmouth are guests of her mother, Mrs. Albion Morgan.

Master Ray Andrews of Albany was the guest of relatives in town, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Berry and three children were guests of relatives at No. Waterford over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf entertained his father and two brothers from Madison over the week end.

The Citizen Office is now running on a new schedule. We open our office at 7 A. M. and close at 5 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence West and son, Andrew, of Lisbon, Me., were week end guests of Mrs. Charles Crosby.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Brown of South Portland were guests of Mrs. J. M. Philbrook the first of the week.

Mr. L. W. Kendall was in Portland, Monday, going by auto. He reported the roads in very good condition.

Mr. Harry Vashaw and son, Jesse, of Exeter, N. H., were in town, calling on all neighbors and friends, Saturday.

Mrs. Mina Harrison spent Memorial Day in Gorham, N. H., the guest of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tom White.

Mr. L. W. Ramsell and family were in East Stoneham recently to attend the funeral of Mrs. Ramsell's uncle, Mr. Bickford.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Ollas and daughter, Ruth, visited his brother at Norway a few days before Mr. Ollas returned to Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown and daughter were guests of Mr. Greenleaf's brother in Madison, Friday.

Mr. Warner Kendall and son, Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. Ruth Mason and Miss Clara Mason were guests at the home of Justus Mason at Bethel, Sunday.

The Wau-Tatt Club was entertained by Mrs. F. E. Wheeler, Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Luntien. A large number were present and a social afternoon spent.

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WILLOUGHBY T. GUNTHER

Born Nov. 8, 1858—Died May 25, 1923

Mr. Gunther, better known as Will, was born in St. Augustine, Florida, sixty-five years ago. His home was a beautiful plantation—and his recollections were filled with faces of loving parents, a number of brother and sisters—and of childhood days spent very happily in that land of sunshine and flowers. But in the terrible days of the Civil War all this was changed. The property was confiscated, the family scattered—Willoughby was brought to Bethel when a small boy and had a home for some years with a Mr. Twitchell—afterwards living with Mr. and Mrs. John Russell. He never knew where his parents last resting place was—but some years ago succeeded in finding some of his relatives—and a brother, George Gunther, is living in New York but owing to severe illness was unable to come to Maine at the present time.

Will Gunther acquired his education in the public schools of Bethel, and Nov. 6, 1881 was united in marriage by the Rev. David Garland to Sarah A. Abbott, daughter of John and Sarah (Ackley) Abbott. The first year of their wedded life was spent in a log house on the mountain back of Sunset Lodge. They lived for a time on a farm not far from Songo Pond, but for many years they have lived at the place where he died. Two children were born to them, Howard, Bethel's well known ice man, who married Marie Blazer of Massachusetts and lives on the Locke's Mills road; Alice, who married Leslie Blake, and resides in Massachusetts.

Mr. Gunther was a very devoted husband and father, providing in every way for the comfort and happiness of his family. As a friend and neighbor no one could do him—his helping hand was ever ready—and his purse open to a friend in need.

By trade he was a marble worker, being known as one of the most expert men with the chisel in Maine and New Hampshire. For a long time he was associated with Mr. Whitney in that work in Berlin—and for twenty years he worked for E. E. Whitney in Bethel, but later years he felt better out of doors and had been patrolman. For a year back his health had been poor, and through the Spring months he failed rapidly. Of a cheerful, happy disposition, he bore intense suffering with the bravery of a resolute man; never uttering complaints, appreciating the unflinching devotion of his family at all times.

Besides his wife and children he is survived by two grandsons, Hoyt Gunther and Hugh Blake, of whom he was very fond and proud, also one brother, a resident of New York.

Funeral services were held at his late home, Rev. C. H. Oliver speaking tenderly to the bereaved family and the many friends who came to pay their last tribute of respect.

The floral offerings were many and gave sweet sympathy to the sad hearts. Burial was at Riverside where the limpid waters seem to murmur a soothing melody as it glides by this silent but ever growing city of the dead.

Though the years look so lonely before thee,
Your summons will one day come,
And beyond in the beautiful city
He will wait to welcome you home.

Mr. T. K. LaRue has moved his family into the recently vacated by Miss Cleo Russell, in the Walker house on Broad Street.

The O. A. baseball team went to So. Paris, Tuesday, and crossed bats with the So. Paris High School team, and were defeated by the score of 3 to 4.

Mr. Frank Flint went to Portland, Tuesday to consult a specialist about his knee which he injured recently. He was accompanied by Mrs. Flint and son, Henry.

Mr. E. W. Mudge has organized a five piece orchestra, to be known as the Black and White Syncopaters. Another piece will be added at the end of the school year.

Mr. L. T. Poore is the new manager of the J. B. Ham Co. grain mill to succeed Mr. Wesley Wheeler who has resigned. Mr. Poore will take charge Friday, June 1.

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The FAT MAN has provided the Editor that he will make this corner the lightest and brightest spot in the whole paper. The FAT MAN is glad to have his readers read him out of the corner of their eyes. The Editor, however, is not so sure. He is not so sure that the FAT MAN is not a little too fat for his own good. He is not so sure that the FAT MAN is not a little too fat for his own good. He is not so sure that the FAT MAN is not a little too fat for his own good.

The editor of the paper who collected \$5000 different kinds of bugs in the Marquette Islands was trying to get him arrested in something useful. He said the registrar: "We teach English, Latin, Chemistry, Trigonometry."

"That's the one," said Bill. "Just lead him up good on Trigonometry. He can use that. He's the poorest shot in the family now."—Whitewind.

He: "With you share my name, and you call me?"
Miss Bell: "Oh, my yes. What is it?"—Wasp.

"What the devil do you mean by making me at four o'clock in the morning?"
"Is you Mr. Smith?"

"Yes. What of it?"
"Is you the great what advertised for a partner to go to Houston in Arizona?"

"Yes!"
"Well, I just wanted to tell you that on no conditions whatever will I go with you."—Bill Weevil.

When folks tell what isn't the truth as you, don't get angry. Suppose they had known the truth about you and had told that.—Maltener.

Hester: "The other night I kissed my girl on the chin."
Kiddie: "What did she say to that?"
Hester: "Fanny. All she said was, 'Heaven's above!'—The Phoenix.

"Darling, if you'll marry me, I'll quit smoking, drinking, and—"
"And if I don't?"
"I'll start!"—Yellow Jacket.

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Joe Baker and family were at Bethel last Sunday. Elder Baker took them to the car.
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ACCOUNTS GREAT AID TO ECONOMY

Keeping Track of Expenses of Household Supplements Records of Farm Business.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Household accounts are valuable on the farm as elsewhere, even though farm household expenses are very intimately associated with the business of the farm itself. The farm normally supplies much material which otherwise would become a household expense. The household, in turn, very often furnishes board for farm labor, which would otherwise be a farm expense. Keeping track of household expenses therefore supplements the records of the farm business, points out the United States Department of Agriculture.

More than this, household accounts are an important aid to economy. The first step toward saving lies usually in finding out where unnecessary expenses are incurred. It is important, therefore, to analyze or classify the expenditures and go over them carefully at the end of regular periods. One way of doing this is to record all purchases when money is paid out and then make up a monthly statement for each kind or class of expenditure.

Another method is to enter everything in a column at one side of a broad page, and at the same time enter the amounts again in the columns for each class. This system makes it possible to find out at any time the amount being spent for any given kind of purchase, and the monthly totals are easy to add up.

Book Not Important.

The kind of a book to use is not important. Each family will have a different way of classifying its expenses. An ordinary ruled, square blank book bound at the left side is usually satisfactory for dividing out into columns according to the needs of the individual family. To avoid

Keeping Household Accounts Will Show Where Leaks Occur.

the work of writing the heading over and over, a number of pages may be cut off at the top so that permanent column heads may be read above them. A large page is usually easier to record on and to study when the record is complete.

Food may be classed as "animal foods," "fruits and vegetables," "cereal products," "groceries." Many farms furnish a large part of the first three items. The table for these groups should offer suggestions as to how the expenses for them may be reduced by greater home production. It has been found that on the average farms 50 per cent of the animal products and 70 per cent of the fruits and vegetables consumed by the family are taken out of the farm.

Cooking, household furnishings, running expenses, entertainment, tax-deductible and savings are other general classes of expenditures for which separate accounts may be kept according to the second method. Under each of these heads many suggestions may be made, but for the most part an universal classification will be found sufficient.

Analyze Totals Yearly.

Recording the expenditures, however, is but half the task. If the totals are not checked at least once a year with the plan of making a general plan for the coming year, the record is of little use. The plan for the coming year should be made by comparing the record for the past year with the plan for the coming year. The plan for the coming year should be made by comparing the record for the past year with the plan for the coming year. The plan for the coming year should be made by comparing the record for the past year with the plan for the coming year.

It has been found that, in general, over 50 per cent of the food and over 70 per cent of the fuel consumed by farm families are produced on the farm. Some records showing what farm products have actually been used in the household is of interest and value. One might not be able to write down each bush of beans, each head of lettuce, each quart of berries, and each quart of milk taken from the products raised for sale, but the estimated quantity of the different kinds of vegetables, the number of eggs, quarts of milk and other products used by the household during a week would

furnish a sufficiently accurate guide for all purposes.

An easy way to keep closer track of the farm products used would be to hang a list of them up in the kitchen with space for checks or strokes opposite each item, such marks indicating the normal amount of that article used or taken out at one time. To determine the value of these products per month or year, the checks can be translated into pounds or quarts and multiplied by the average price the article sold for during the period being estimated.

SOME ITEMS OF FOOD WASTED IN KITCHEN

Serve Butter in Individual Pats and Cut Off Bread as Needed; Save Cereals.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Ask yourself occasionally if any of the following foods are wasted needlessly in your kitchen or on your table, suggests the United States Department of Agriculture:

Butter—Using individual butter plates, bread and butter plates, or even individual saucers for butter keeps all unused butter clean and usable in cooking. The saving is worth the additional cost of dishwashing. Serving butter in individual pats rather than putting a whole pat on the table prevents waste and, if the pats are made small, it is easier for each person to take as much as he wishes, and no more.

Slices of Cut Bread—Use a bread board and sharp knife at the table, and cut off just what is needed. Pieces of bread left over for any reason have many uses. They can be toasted or oven-dried and eaten like toast, rolled out for the bread-crumbs jar, used for scalloped dishes, bread pudding, stuffing, thickening for soups, sauces, or gravies, in place of part of the flour in muffins, pancakes or breads, or boiled in hot milk to serve in place of cereal.

Small Amounts of Cooked Cereal—Put them into bread, muffins or grid-die-cakes in place of part of the flour and liquid. Use them to thicken soups, stews or gravies. Fry them for use like a starchy dinner vegetable, or serve with a sirup for a dessert.

Skim Milk—Except for the butterfat and vitamins, skim milk is as valuable as other milk. It enriches soups, sauces or puddings, and may be given to the children if butter is used elsewhere in the diet to make good the loss of the cream. Each child should have its regular allotment of whole milk, but leftover skim milk may be given to them in addition.

Sour Milk—Cottage cheese can always be made from it, but there are also biscuits, gingerbread, pancakes, muffins and cakes, for which many cooks prefer sour milk.

Stale Cake—Make it into cabinet pudding with a custard mixture and a few raisins or prunes; or dry it, roll it into crumbs and sprinkle them through or over ice cream, whipped cream or custard desserts.

Meat—If you know the fall-end of steaks or chops will not be eaten, why not cut them off before serving and reserve them for a stew, hash, meat balls or other "meat" dish at another meal? Cutting meat into individual portions before serving and keeping the part not needed at the meal out of sight in the kitchen, where it will not tempt the appetite unnecessarily, is economical. Meat leftovers kept too long and allowed to spoil are a total loss. Remember also that overcooked meat is often wasted meat. Fuel saving is often food saving.

Fish—Use any fish not eaten at a meal in some such way as creamed fish, scalloped fish, or fish chowder. With potatoes and other vegetables any of these constitutes an appetizing lunch dish.

Gravy—Make a good deal of gravy after cooking a roast, as many of the good meat extractions are in the roasting pan. Save what gravy is not served at table to use on the leftover slices for a "cottage" or "fish" cake, or to thicken casseroles or to combine with vegetables, macaroni or corned beef.

Fats—Melted fat can be used for frying, baking or other cooking, when clean and refined. Many housekeepers who save the time and it is necessary to save fat and make it into soap.

OF INTEREST TO THE HOUSEWIFE

Remove grass stains with ammonia and water.

Remove tea and coffee stains with boiling water.

Keep talcum powder boxes made barely full and paper shakers for the kitchen.

To remove iron rust, wash with ammonia, then use bits of lemon.

Orange spots on seeds should be dissolved if they are rubbed with a piece of cloth dipped in alcohol.

To open a glass jar of fruit without cutting the rubber, let the top stand in hot water several minutes.

If ants get into the tea chest, use a quart of water under each leg and remove box away from the wall.

Only gas or electric stoves can be painted the color of the wall. Coverage them with pretty painted shades.

PARAGRAPHS FOR THE NEW ENGLANDER

News of General Interest From the Six States

William E. Maines 55, pitcher with the Boston National League baseball team 20 or more years ago, is dead in Bridgton, Me., after a long illness. He had manufactured baseball bats there for 20 years.

Institutions in Vermont, New York city and Erie, Pa., will eventually inherit \$250,000 by the will of Guy S. Johnson, former Standard Oil Company executive, who died at Old Bennington in April.

Rather than tell her parents she had been discharged from a position which she had held for more than three years, 19-year-old Beatrice Hollows committed suicide in her home in Fitchburg, Mass., by inhaling gas.

The cost of living is again on the upward trend, according to the Massachusetts commission on necessities of life, which has submitted a bulletin showing slight increases during the month of April in food, clothing fuel and shelter.

A scheme for a huge country club in Vermont's Green mountains with a 10,000 membership and in which names of prominent men were used was brought to light in New York by the indictment of Miss Hilda E. Roberts, the promoter, on a charge of grand larceny.

A jury in the superior court, Worcester, Mass., assessed damages of \$275 against Mrs. Annie Shufin of Worcester for slapping the face of Joseph H. Bravard, also of Worcester. Bravard asked for \$200. The testimony was that on April 1, 1923, Bravard, who is a contractor, was working for Mrs. Shufin at her house under a contract where the incident happened.

Judge Arthur P. Sumner, Providence, R. I., has been elected president-general of the Sons of the American Revolution in session at Nashville Tenn., defeating Marvin H. Lewis of Louisville, Ky. Vice presidents elected include: New England district, Dr. Charles H. Banks, Massachusetts. Walter K. Watkins, Boston, was elected general-secretary and Rev. Frederick W. Perkins, Lynn, Mass., chaplain-general.

A two-year medical course at Dartmouth College is all the medical training available in New Hampshire at present and there has been talk of establishing a full course school for some time, the lack of physicians in rural communities which has become acute having added force to the campaign. The project of establishing a four-year school was favored with the condition that it be a class A school.

Dr. H. N. Kingford of Hanover was elected president.

Albino Garcon, aged 8, who is charged with at least eight breaks in the past few weeks, was arranged before Judge Louis Swig in the juvenile session of the District Court Taunton, Mass., on a complaint that he was a stubborn child. The boy who is very slight in stature, took a position in front of the judge's bench and listened to his mother, Mrs. Emma Garcon, characterize him as a child who was incorrigible as she said she could not take care of him and desired to have him sent to some institution. He was placed on probation.

Expenditure of \$150,000 may be made for a new women's reformatory in Rutland, Vt.; following inspection of the present house of correction for women by Gov. Proctor, John R. Weeks and members of the House and Senate who constitute the commission for erection of a new prison. Rutland probably will be selected as the site of the new prison. The commission is vested with full authority to expend the \$150,000 for re-establishment of the house of correction as an institution for male inmates and for provision of a suitable prison for women.

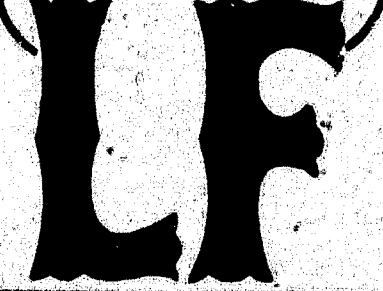
Nineteen thousandbred Holstein cows owned by William Coombs of Colesburg, Mass., a well known stockman, died from eating nitrate of soda. Mr. Coombs spread the soda on grass and beside his pasture and the cows reached through the fence and ate it. The loss is about \$1500. Mr. Coombs is one of the prominent Holstein breeders in that section and his stock has been exhibited at many leading New England fairs.

Charles Rosengard, Haverhill, Mass., auto dealer, recently bought an unopened safe from Morris Fitzgerald of 15 Locust street, and later paid \$5 more for its contents. An expert who opened the safe found inside 10 shares of American Telephone stock, valued at \$1220.00, a \$1 bill and some small change. Rosengard immediately sold the stock Fitzgerald had engaged counsel to see if he cannot recover the value of the contents.

The Massachusetts State tax for this year will be \$12,544,000 to be borne by the cities and towns on the basis of valuation. Gov. Cox sent to the Legislature his supplementary budget recommendation, amounting to \$1,141,000, representing more appropriate share of the general fund. He pointed out that the state printing department will require next year, and recommended that the new department of administration and finance be authorized to execute a new contract.

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SOCIETY DIRECTORY

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

BETHEL LODGE, No. 97, F. & A. M., meets in Masonic Hall the second Thursday evening of each month. T. I. Brown, W. M.; Fred B. Merrill, Secretary.

PURITY CHAPTER, No. 103, O. E. S., meets in Masonic Hall the first Wednesday evening of each month. Mrs. Elizabeth Garey, W. M.; Mrs. Pearl Tibbets, Secretary.

MT. ABRAM LODGE, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Friday evening. E. Leroy Good, N. G.; D. M. Forbes, Secretary.

SUNSET REBEKAH LODGE, No. 64, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the first and third Monday evenings of each month. Mrs. Emily Forbes, N. G.; Mrs. Anna French, Secretary.

SUDBURY LODGE, No. 22, K. of P., meets in Grange Hall every Tuesday evening. E. Leroy Good, C. C. John Harrington, K. of R. and S.

NACCOMI TEMPLE, No. 69, PYTHIAN SISTERS, meets the second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at Odd Fellows' Hall. Mrs. Horatio K. Sanborn, M. E. G. Mrs. Minnie Bennett, M. of B. and C.

BROWN POST, No. 84, G. A. R., meets at Odd Fellows' Hall the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. A. H. Hutchinson, Commander; I. C. Jordan, Adjutant; L. N. Bartlett, Q. M. BROWN W. R. C. No. 38, meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month. Mrs. Arvilla Morgan, President; Mrs. Eva Hastings, Secretary.

GEORGE A. MUNDT POST, No. 81, AMERICAN LEGION, meets the first Tuesday of each month in its rooms. William Mackay, Commander; Howard Tyler, Adjutant.

BETHEL ORANGE, No. 20, P. of H., meets in their hall the first and third Thursday evenings of each month. G. J. Haggard, M.; Mrs. Eva Hastings, Secretary.

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EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Evelyn Harrington and two children were last week's guests of relatives at South Paris.

Mr. F. B. Bean and Miss Virginia of Bangor were Sunday guests of Mrs. Octavia Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Holt recently motored to Canton, guests of relatives there.

Hugh and Wendell Clark of Auburn were week end guests of C. M. Kimball and family.

Messrs. Wm. C. Howe and C. P. Law of Waltham, Mass., are this week's guests of F. B. Howe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fox and Mrs. Eileen Fox of Lowell were Sunday callers of relatives here.

Miss Marion Rand was an over week end guest of Miss Ruth Holt at her home here.

Mr. Robert Hastings and Mrs. John Howe attended the Club Leaders Conference held at South Paris, Saturday, May 26. Mr. Hastings is leader of the Boys Potato Club. Each boy plants one-eighth of an acre of potatoes and cares for it. Mrs. Howe is leader of the Girls Sewing Club. This Club meets Wednesday after school.

The East Bethel Sabbath School was

reorganized Sunday, May 27, with the following officers:

Supt.—R. D. Hastings
Asst. Supt.—Mrs. J. H. Howe
Secretary—Mrs. W. G. Holt
Treasurer—Mrs. W. B. Bartlett
Organist—Mrs. O. B. Farwell
Teachers—
Adult Class—Mrs. Susie Holt
Boys Junior Class—R. D. Hastings
Girls Junior Class—Edith Howe
Prims—Class—Ruth Holt
To be held at East Bethel church each Sunday at 10 A. M.

GROVER HILL

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jordan and daughters, Marion and Eleanor, from Mechanic Falls, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnard and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnard from Belknap Falls, Vt., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Tyler a few days the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Whitman are entertaining guests from Massachusetts for over Memorial.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wheeler and family moved to South Paris, Saturday, where they commenced on their duties at the jail.

Mrs. Carrie Spinney Grover from Gorham is the guest of her mother and sister, Mrs. Eliza Spinney and Mrs. Bertha Mundt.

Mrs. Edith W. Grover and Miss Amy Wheeler from Bethel were recent guests at the A. B. Grover farm.

Mr. Clarence Tyler from Gorham, N. H., is the guest of his brother, Almon Tyler, Cobblestone Farm, for a few days.

Miss Ida M. Haselton is at home from Skillington.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie A. Pratt and party from Auburn called at Harry A. Lyon's, Sunday.

Ed. Smith and helpers have put in the cement foundation for H. A. Lyon's bungalow, which the carpenters are soon to commence to erect.

Mrs. Edie Whitman and children were recent guests of relatives in Mason.

Alfred J. Peaslee is caretaker for Fred E. Wheeler at the farm during Mr. Wheeler's absence.

True Browne was at home for a short time, recently.

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BOSTON MARKET REVIEW

For Week Ending May 20, 1923

Prepared by U. S. Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES: The strawberry season is now at its height and prices fluctuate daily with the supply on hand. Choice prices for the week are 20-25c per quart on the best stock compared with 25-30c a week ago but earlier in the week the market slumped to 15-20c when supplies were very heavy. Maryland and Virginia are now supplying most of the berries. Prices on old potatoes have declined 10-15c per crate since now 12-15c. For the best Maine Green Mountains. Supplies of new potatoes from the South are still light and they are proportionately higher than old stock. New stock have been around 15-20c per barrel for number ones during the week. The market on cabbage is lower than a week ago but it has been fairly steady for the past few days at 12-15c per crate for Virginia barrel crates of Wakefield. Onion prices are 25-30c per crate lower than last week for Texas. Texas and most other states have been around 15-20c per barrel for number ones during the week. The market on lettuce has started to decline and after several weeks of active demand at high prices the market on California iceberg lettuce has started to decline and after several weeks of active demand at high prices the market on California iceberg lettuce has started to decline and after several weeks of active demand at high prices the market on California iceberg lettuce has started to decline.

DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS

Dressed poultry market has been fairly active on fresh killed fowl with only a fair trade on frozen stock. Receipts have been slightly heavier late in week and receivers have managed to clean up quite well. Some nearby broilers arriving but in no great quantities. Fresh broilers 12-15c, 14-15c, 15-16c, 16-17c, 17-18c, 18-19c, 19-20c, 20-21c, 21-22c, 22-23c, 23-24c, 24-25c, 25-26c, 26-27c, 27-28c, 28-29c, 29-30c, 30-31c, 31-32c, 32-33c, 33-34c, 34-35c, 35-36c, 36-37c, 37-38c, 38-39c, 39-40c, 40-41c, 41-42c, 42-43c, 43-44c, 44-45c, 45-46c, 46-47c, 47-48c, 48-49c, 49-50c, 50-51c, 51-52c, 52-53c, 53-54c, 54-55c, 55-56c, 56-57c, 57-58c, 58-59c, 59-60c, 60-61c, 61-62c, 62-63c, 63-64c, 64-65c, 65-66c, 66-67c, 67-68c, 68-69c, 69-70c, 70-71c, 71-72c, 72-73c, 73-74c, 74-75c, 75-76c, 76-77c, 77-78c, 78-79c, 79-80c, 80-81c, 81-82c, 82-83c, 83-84c, 84-85c, 85-86c, 86-87c, 87-88c, 88-89c, 89-90c, 90-91c, 91-92c, 92-93c, 93-94c, 94-95c, 95-96c, 96-97c, 97-98c, 98-99c, 99-100c.

Only one commuter a day uses the North Pepperell, Mass., station of the Boston & Maine, which sought authority from the public utilities department to close the station.

Because he believed his sweetheart was keeping company with another young man, Antonio Protono, 24 years old of Worcester, Mass., shot and killed Miss Margaret Sparver, 16, of the same address. He then turned the revolver on himself and fired three bullets into his own body, dying soon afterward.

A band of searchers patrolling the shore of Meadow pond, Whitinville, Mass., in a boat found the bodies of Harry Wetherburn and Raymond Merton, schoolboys, who had been missing. The Wetherburn boy, who was 18, and his companion, who was 11, left their homes without saying anything to their parents.

Doodleggers on Martha's Vineyard and Nantucket islands must watch their steps as a result of a bill signed by Gov. Cox, permitting sheriffs to arrest liquor law violators without warrant. Up to the present, deputy sheriffs had this power, but as the sheriffs of Dukes county and Nantucket had no deputies they have been handicapped.

Judge Hagerty, in the district court, Attleboro, Mass., decided that the serving of "a lunch of cold beans and dum-water coffee," was not sufficient grounds for assault and fined Henry Angers, of North Attleboro, \$15 because he struck his housekeeper, Jane Matteson, after the latter had served the chilly repast when she returned from a strenuous afternoon's shopping.

Ten public bequests are made in the will of John S. Leavitt of Gorham, Me., who died May 12. The Christian Science church at Centre Taffelsboro, N. H., is bequeathed \$1000, the income to be used for ministerial support. Sum of \$500 each are left to the Bowery Mission and Young Men's Home in New York and the Christian Herald Children's Home, of that city, while amounts of \$100 each are left to the American Students of Mason, Connecticut, the Maine Missionary Society, American Missionary Association of New York, Congregational Church Building Society, Congregational Educational Society, Maine Bible Society, and the Congregational Board of Ministerial Relief.

Cornelius J. Waldron, father of nine children, was sentenced to a year in the house of correction after he admitted the theft of \$20,000 from the Boston & Albany Railroad when he was station agent at Wilburham, Mass. Judge Thayer, in giving the sentence in superior court, Worcester, said the provision that Waldron had to the railroad his home, declared to be worth about \$1000, with the reservation that Mrs. Waldron and her nine children be allowed to live in it free of rent until he leaves jail.

ANDOVER

Deferred

The graduating exercises of the 8th grade of the grammar school will be held in the Congregational church, Wednesday evening, June 6. Following are the class parts. The three honor parts for highest rank were awarded to Miriam Band, Salutatory; Olive Crossman, Valedictory; Milton Crossman, Prophecy. The other parts are: Class History, Caroline Roberts; Class Will, Edward Doughty; Presentation of Gifts, Fred Bartlett and Lewis Morton; Class Ode, Robert Milton. The class consists of fifteen pupils. Each pupil not having a class part is to recite a poem.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Marston have gone to Pinewood Camps, Canton, for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Ream and Miss Evelyn Smith of Elkhart, Indiana, who have spent the winter in Florida, arrived in Andover last week and will spend several weeks with their people, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hanson and daughter from Rumford were guests to tea of Mr. and Mrs. Y. A. Thurston, Sunday. They were in Boston a few days this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Bedell.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Meisner have moved to East Rumford where he will work for Mrs. Charles Abbott.

Mr. Kennet and party from Conway, N. H., have been exploring the "Santiago" tract of land the past week.

Victor Akers is at the Rangeley Lakes working for Mr. Silas Peaslee.

Rev. C. W. Robinson will preach a Memorial sermon to the Grand Army men, the World veterans, and the Spanish American men at the Congregational church, Sunday morning, May 27.

Earle Glidden has gone to the Middle Dam to work for E. F. Coburn.

Mr. Henry V. Poor from New York was in town recently.

The ladies of the Andover Farm Bureau met in the town hall Friday, May 18, for the purpose of drafting and fitting foundation patterns and the use of the same. There were twenty members present and Mrs. Anita N. Babb, Home Demonstration Agent, presided.

Seventeen patterns were drafted and six dresses made, much to the satisfaction of those present. The noon hour was pleasantly spent with a baked bean and pastry dinner and sociability, and physical exercises under the direction of Mrs. Babb.

Word has been received by friends in town of the sudden death of Mr. Samuel Leavitt at his home in Gorham, Maine. Mr. Leavitt was a relative of the late John A. French of this town.

Mrs. Katherine McAllister and Mrs. Lodge of Pythian Sisters at Lewiston Breast Milken attended the Grand Lodge last Wednesday.

Mr. Robert B. Dow, principal of the high school, and Miss Mary Morse of East Andover were among the teachers who attended the Oxford County Teachers' Convention at Norway, Friday.

Dr. H. W. Stanwood of Rumford was in town Saturday, to see Mrs. Shirley Smith, who is very ill.

The Ladies' Aid served a baked bean and pastry supper in the hall Wednesday evening.

The church committee are abating the east side of the Congregational church.

S. S. Francis, the road policeman, was in town last week.

Derian Meisner was arrested Sunday for speeding and driving a car without a license. He was in court the following Monday at Rumford and paid a fine of \$40.00.

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A birthday party was held for Mrs. Mary P. Richardson, Sunday, at Pine-wood Camp. Mrs. Richardson is 80 years young and enjoyed the occasion to the utmost. Those present were the hostess, Mrs. Blanche Richardson, Miss Ruth Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Frank Richardson, Edward Richardson, Philadore Daigle, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ingersoll of Monmouth, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lucas, Charles E. Richardson, Mrs. Arthur L. Tirrell and children, Hartley and Winona, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Towle and son John, and Mrs. Persis L. Noyes of Dixfield, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Poor of Andover, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parsons and son Dwight of Hartford, and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Marston of Rumford. Refreshments were served which included a large birthday cake made by Mr. Poor, beautifully lettered with "Mother's Birthday Party, 1854-1934. Four score years and nine. God bless her," and decorated with tiny flags, candles, etc., the whole surrounded by dainty flowers and ferns.

Rev. F. M. Lamb delivered the Memorial sermon Sunday before John A. Hodge Post, Relief Corps, American Legion and other citizens, at the United Baptist church, which was prettily decorated for the occasion. A beautiful duet, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," was given by Mr. Lamb and daughter, Mrs. Mabel Lamb of Bethel, and a vocal solo, "Tenting on the Old Camp

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GIRL HAD TWO CONVULSIONS

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STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Rumford, in and for the County of Oxford, on the fourth Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen, a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1934, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Vivian A. Cross of Greenwood, a minor; petition for license to sell and convey real estate presented by Ellen M. Felt, guardian.

Witness, Arlene E. Stearns Judge of said Court at Rumford this fourth Tuesday of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

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Ground," was by Mr. Lamb.

The grammar school graduation will be held at the Grange Hall, Thursday evening, and the high school graduation at the Opera House, Friday evening.

At the basketball game here Friday with the Leavitt girls, the latter won. Score 47 to 10.

Rev. Mary Hadley presided at the Universalist church Sunday morning and evening.

Clyde Campbell of Auburn has been visiting at his home in town for a few days.

Miss Sadie Reed has returned home for the summer. She has been visiting in Boston for the past week.

There was a white frost in Canton Monday morning.

Aaron Jackson has returned home from Togus, where he has been spending the winter. He has been visiting his son, Wilder Jackson, of Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Adams of Hartford are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Fernley Bubler of Auburn have arrived in Canton for the summer.

The G. A. R. and Relief Corps were guests of Canton Grange, Saturday. The State Master, W. J. Thompson of So. China gave an inspiring address which was much enjoyed. Good music was furnished. An excellent dinner was served.

Saturday afternoon while E. K. Hollis was engaged in tearing down the old coal shed at the tannery, preparatory to building a new one, he was hit on the head by a large piece of coal which was lodged on a beam, cutting and bruising his head badly.

At the basketball game between the Cantons and Backfields, Wednesday, Canton won in a score of 24 to 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Newton arrived Saturday night from California to spend the summer with Mrs. Evelyn Dunn, with whom they both lived before marriage.

Mrs. Lillie Bicknell and Miss Clara Rosebrook went to Portland, Saturday, returning Sunday by auto with Mr. and Mrs. Rosebrook.

After the meeting of Penamah Rebekah Lodge, Friday evening, a short entertainment was given and a social time held. In the picture contest Miss Ruth Richardson won the prize and in the peanut contest A. S. Bicknell won out. A treat of confectionery was served.

The baccalaureate sermon of the graduating class of Canton High School given by Rev. F. M. Lamb at the United Baptist church, Sunday forenoon was most helpful and impressive. The church was prettily decorated with the class colors, purple and gold, and their motto, "Finished, Yet Beginning," hung over the pulpit. Plants and flowers were also among the decorations.

The high school boys played ball with the Leavitts at Turner, Saturday, and won the game in a score of 14 to 12.

At the Fish and Game Protective Association meeting the remaining officers were elected as follows: Vice President, A. S. Bicknell; Executive Committee, A. F. Hayford, Lauris Poland and W. A. Lucas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tirrell went to East Haddam, Friday, to attend the funeral of Henry Eastman Tirrell, the 13 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Shirley O. Tirrell, who passed away Wednesday afternoon. The affliction was doubly hard for Mrs. Tirrell as her mother, Mrs. Albert T. Eastman, of East Haddam, where she was visiting and was buried Wednesday afternoon. The interment was at Mount Auburn.

W. L. Chase. The school children, assisted in the exercises and the hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

Mrs. Jason Merrill and children, Marie and Leah, of Bath are guests of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Lamb.

Mrs. Fred Hutchinson and children have been visiting relatives at Rumford.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
S. T. Achenbach, Pastor.
Thursday, May 31, 3 o'clock: Meeting of the Ladies' Club with Mrs. Whitney.

Sunday, June 3:
Morning service and church school omitted.
2:30: Baccalaureate service. Rev. M. E. Pearson of Auburn will preach.
7:15: Christian Endeavor meeting. The members who are seniors in the Academy will have charge. A reception will be given to those seniors who were attendants at our church and other services during the season. All invited.

METHODIST CHURCH
C. B. Oliver, Pastor.
Thursday, May 31:
The Ladies' Aid meets at the church at 2:30.

The special all day wet and dry cleansing will be Thursday, June 7. Will those who cannot help clean house please watch the dinner?

Friday, June 1: Rehearsal after school for Children's Day. Choir rehearsal at 7:30. Reading room 7:30-9:30. Mr. Frank Abbott in charge.

Sunday services:
Morning worship at 10:45. Special music. Sermon, The Source of Power. Bring a pencil to vote for five of last year's themes which you think most worthy.

Church School at 12. Watch the little folks grow.
Epworth League, 6:45. Leader, Mrs. Leona Anderson.
Evening worship 7:30. Subject, Tropics of Individual Effort.

Monday: Chum group meets at Esther Lapham's at 4 o'clock.
Memory verses:
1. Dan. XII, 3. 2. Mark XVI, 15.
3. John I, 42. 4. Proverbs XI, 30, R. V.
5. Matt. XVI, 26.

Tuesday, June 5: Mid-week or class hour at 7:15. Official board at 8 o'clock.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH
Sunday School at 12.
Evening meeting at 7.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH
Christian Science services are held every Sunday in Grange Hall, Spring Street, at 10:30 A. M. All are welcome.

LOCKE'S MILLS
C. B. Oliver, Pastor.
Morning worship at 9 o'clock. Sermon by Rev. S. T. Achenbach who will be our visitor for the morning.

Church School at 10:00.
Business meeting at the church Wednesday evening.

SOUTH BETHEL
Harry Isaacson of Norway was in town one day last week.

Willis Walker, who has been working at Auburn for the past few weeks, has returned to his home here.

Daniel Cross, who has been staying with his sister, Emma Brooks for the past few days, has returned to Detroit, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Copeland of Bethel were in town, Thursday.

SONGO POND
Miss Ida Wood has gone to Portland for a few days to visit her aunt, Mrs. Bertha Kimball.

Mrs. George Morrey, Mr. Roy Good and Mrs. Ida Good visited at Turner, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foster and three children were guests of her mother, Mrs. Will Adams, for a few days last week.

W. W. Daniels has begun work on his cottage at Songo Pond.

George Morrey and Roy Good have taken a good job of the Willard, Geo. Wilson is heading at Hennesseu House.

Will McAllister, who has been very sick, is on the gain.

Mrs. Jack McAllister and baby were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will McAllister, recently.

Mrs. Alice Kimball, Misses Cella and Joseph, and Albert Kimball and Mrs. Alice Walker and baby were in town last, Tuesday.

Arthur Herrick of Norway is working for A. B. Kimball.

Beauty Easily Forgiven.
A correspondent tells of a business man who has the portrait of his beautiful stenographer on his office stationery. "If it is there," he explains, "it counteracts the effect of her spelling and punctuation."

New Welding Process.
The same method that is employed in nickel or silver-plating by means of electricity, a thin coat of metal being deposited by means of battery currents, is now being used to build up "ply-metal," which consists of many layers welded by electricity into one solid mass. By using metals of various strength a material of surprising strength can be produced.

ANDOVER
Mr. Girdler Swett, a former resident of Andover, but now of Lynn, Mass., was in town last week.

Rev. John W. Suter and Mrs. Suter, with their maids have arrived at their summer home in town.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church netted about \$25 from their supper served Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Beam were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Smith of Mexico a few days last week.

Mr. Jasper Driggers from Orlando, Florida, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

Mrs. Abbie Wyman, who has spent the winter in Massachusetts, returned Monday to her home on Pine Street.

Lone Mountain Grange is invited to meet with Rumford Grange, Saturday, June 2.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rand and children were at their camp at the lakes over the week end.

The commencement exercises of the Andover High School will be held in the Congregational church, Friday evening, June 8. Following is the program:

Muscle, Orchestra
Invocation, Rev. C. W. Robinson
Muscle
Salutatory, "Migration of Birds," Harriett Eleanor Swett
Class History and Prophecy, Beatrice E. Warren
Music
Oration, "The Chambered Nautilus," Millie Field Newton
Music
Class Gifts and Will, Margaret L. Learned
Oration, "Progress of Civilization," Dorothy Adelaide Thomas
Valedictory, Thelma Alberta Poor
Presentation of Diplomas, Supt. Leon P. Spianney

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Green Slate Surfaced Sta-Slate Roofing, 85 lbs. per roll, \$2.25
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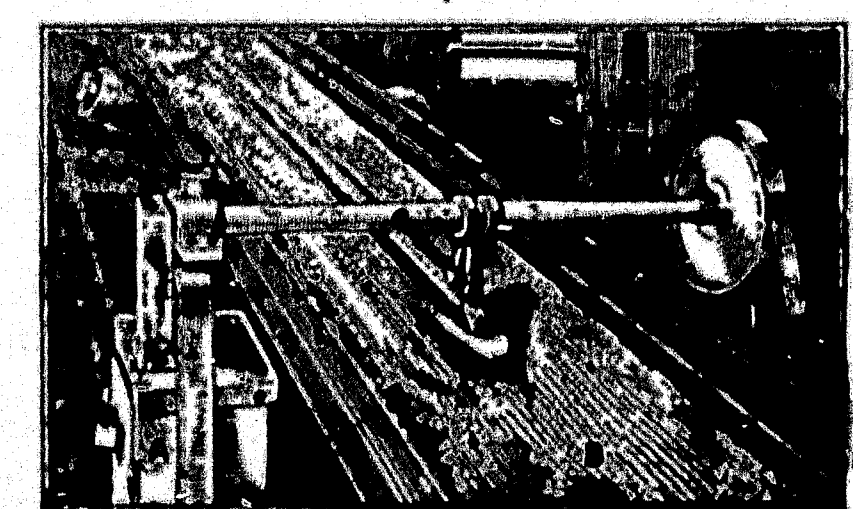
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The cement mill chemist uses ultra-sensitive balances in determining the proportions of raw materials.

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